

DEF. DOC. #2791

Exh. No.

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Defense Language Branch

INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL FOR THE FAR EAST

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al

-vs-

ARAKI, Sadao, et al

SWORN DEPOSITION

Deponent: MATSUI Iwano

Having been duly sworn in accordance with the procedure followed in my country, I do hereby depose and say as follows:

Defence Doc. # 1077 A is my statement regarding the mission and program of the Japanese Army dispatched to Shanghai, which I proclaimed there on the 8th of October 1937 in the capacity of Commander of the said Army. Defence Doc. # 1077 B consists of the announcements which I made at Shanghai around that time as Commander of the said Army for the purpose of giving advice to the Chinese masses.

I made both the above statements orally.

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The both documents are substantial and exact representations of my statements.

Def. Doc. #2500 is showing the comment titled "Manchoukuo for the Manchurians" written by me and published in pages 2-4 of the June edition of "The Greater Asia Principle (Vol. 1. No. 2)" in 1933, which was an organ of the Greater Asia Association.

Def. Doc. # 2625 contains my lecture on "Our Greater Asia Principle" delivered in May 1936 at various places in the Kyushu and Kansai districts; and published in the July edition of "The Greater Asia Principle--Vol. 4 # 39" in 1936.

The document is a substantial and exact representation of the lecture.

On this 27 day of Oct., 1947

At _____

DEPONENT MATSUI Iwano (seal)

I, ITO Kiyoshi, hereby certify that the above statement was sworn by the Depoent, who affixed his signature and seal thereto in the presence of this witness.

On the same date

At _____

Witness: (signed) ITO Kiyoshi (seal)

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OATH

In accordance with my conscience I swear to tell the
whole truth withholding nothing and adding nothing.

/s/ MATSUI Iwane (seal)

極東國際軍事裁判所

亞米利加合衆國其他

對

荒木貞夫其他

宣誓供述書

供述者 松井石根

自分儀我國ニ行ハルル方式ニ從ヒ先ヅ別紙ノ通り宣誓ヲ爲シタル上次ノ如ク供述致シマス

辯護側文書第一〇七七號Aハ予カ上海派遣軍司令官トシテ上海ニ於テ一九三七年十月八日、軍ノ使命及方針ニ付發表シタ聲明デアアル。

辯護側文書第一〇七七號Bハ右軍事司令官トシテ支那ノ一般民衆ニ忠告スル爲メニ、予ガ其頃同地ニ於テ發表シタ談話デアアル。

予ハ右二ツノ聲明ヲ何レモ口頭ヲ以テ發表シタ。

上述ノ二文書ハ予カ爲シタル右聲明ヲ、本質的ニ、正確ニ表現シテ居ル。

辯護側文書第二五〇〇號 即「滿洲人の滿洲」ト題スル論文ハ予ガ作成シタルモノニシテ、大亞細亞協會機關雜誌「大亞細亞主義」第一卷第二號昭和八年六月號第二頁ヨリ第四頁ニ掲載シタモノデアアル。

辯護側文書第二六二五號 即「我等の大亞細亞主義」ト題スル一文ハ予ガ昭和十一年五月九洲、關西各地ニ於テ爲シタル講演ノ筆記ニシテ、予ノ講演ヲ、本質的ニ正確ニ表現シタモノデアアル。而シテ、「大亞細亞主義」第四卷第三九號昭和十一年七月號ニ掲載シタモノデアアル。

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昭和二十二年（一九四七年）十月廿七日 於

供 述 者 松 井 石 根

右ハ當立會人ノ面前ニテ宣誓シ且ツ署名捺印シタルコトヲ證明シマス
日 於

立 會 人 伊 藤 清

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